



Terminology

- ⇒Instructor ALMS Role-Based User; Role with more system "permissions" than other Faculty roles.
- Qualify an Instructor Establish an Instructor as "certified" to present instruction on a given Lesson.
- Non-Instructional Event A user-generated period of time marking the user as unavailable for scheduling. Examples: Leave, TDY, appointments.

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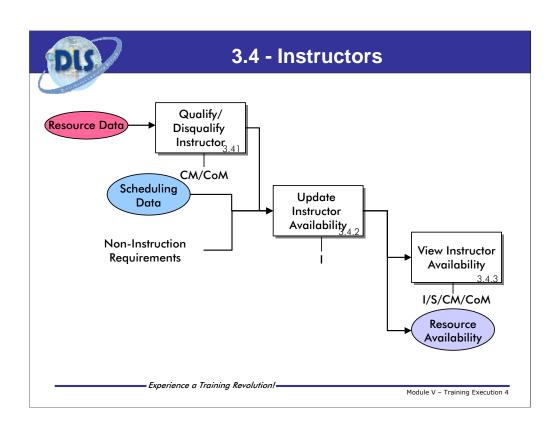
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We have a couple of terms that come into play when discussing Instructor Resources and we'll go over them with you up front.

1st Bullet: Although Instructor is a specific Role in the ALMS, we also use it generically to refer to Faculty-Based Roles in general.

2nd Bullet: You can qualify Instructors to train designated Lessons, just as you can mark those Lessons as needing a qualified Instructor. We generally use this when the instructor requires a documented certification in the subject matter, such as CPR. The ALMS itself doesn't convey certifications, but it will use this function to track Instructor-Lesson relationships when certifications to train are important.

3rd Bullet: This is an event which is not normally tracked in the ALMS but which must be entered to account for those time periods when an Instructor is not available to teach any lessons.





Instructors as Resources

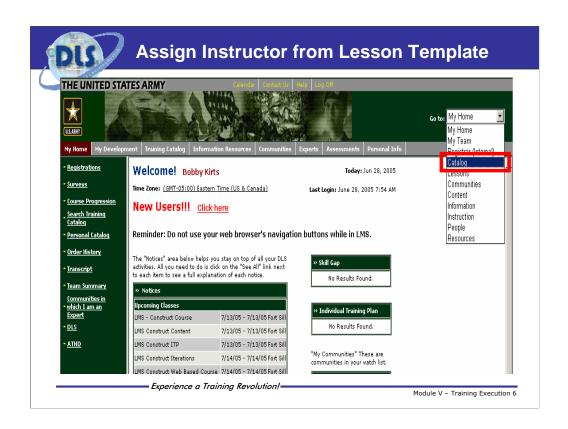
- **⇒**Instructors are managed as Human Resources
- Appointed IAW appointment process
- **○**Other actions affecting Instructors
 - Qualify an Instructor
 - Enter Non-Instructional events into schedule
 - · Perform scheduling actions against Instructor availability

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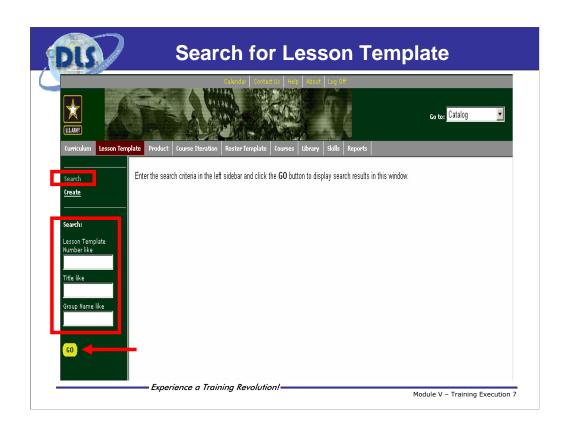
Here is some general information about instructors as Resources...

3rd Bullet: Instructors can be qualified if you choose. Instructors are self-booking Resources in the sense that they can mark unavailable times on their own Calendars.

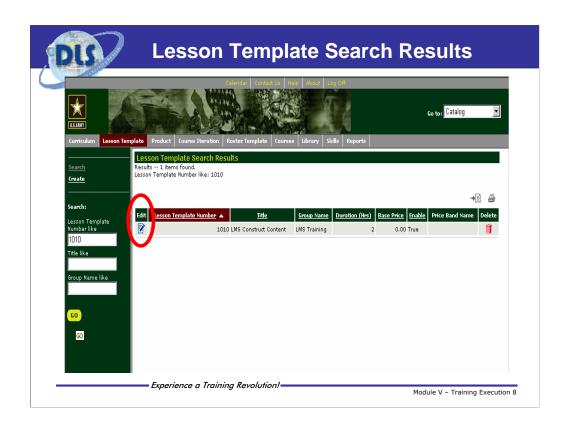
Instructors may be scheduled for training by Class Managers and Schedulers. Those scheduling actions will appear on the Instructor's upcoming classes list when viewed from his Instruction Homepage Drop-Down menu.



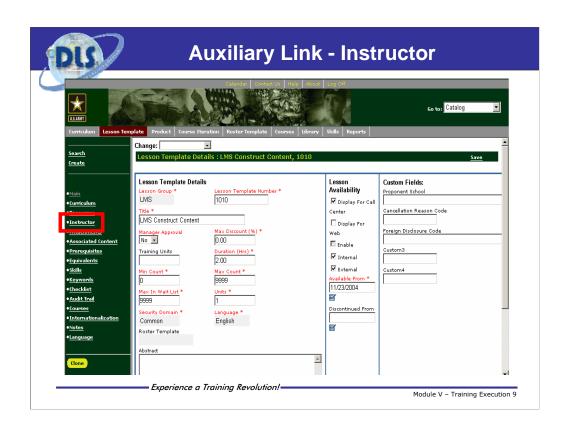
To assign an Instructor at the **Lesson Template** level, we first have to find the **Lesson Template**. Click on "Catalog" from the Go to: drop down menu. The ALMS defaults to the **Lesson Template** screen as shown in the next slide.



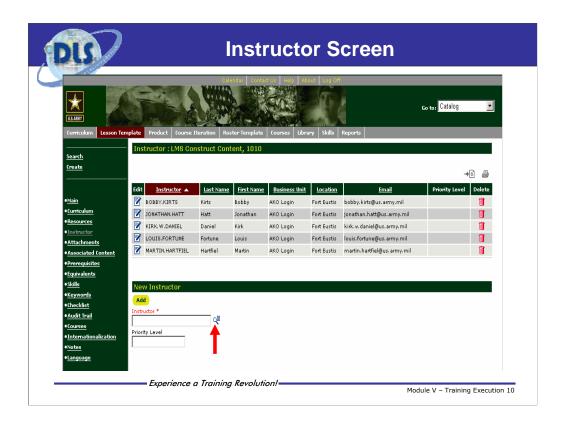
To search for a **Lesson Template**, enter data in the **Lesson Template Number Like**, **Title Like**, or **Group Name Like** search parameter and click on "**GO**". The ALMS will display the Search Results as shown in the next slide.



At the **Lesson Template Search Results** screen, click on the "**Edit**" icon to display the **Lesson Template Details** screen as shown in the next slide.



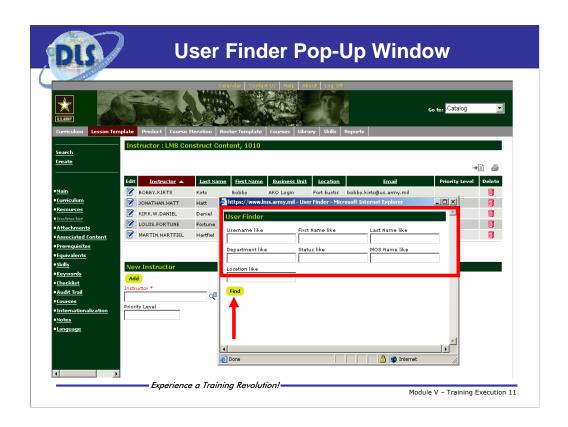
Click on the "**Instructor**" auxiliary link on the Left Navigation Bar. The ALMS will display the **Instructor** screen as shown in the next slide.



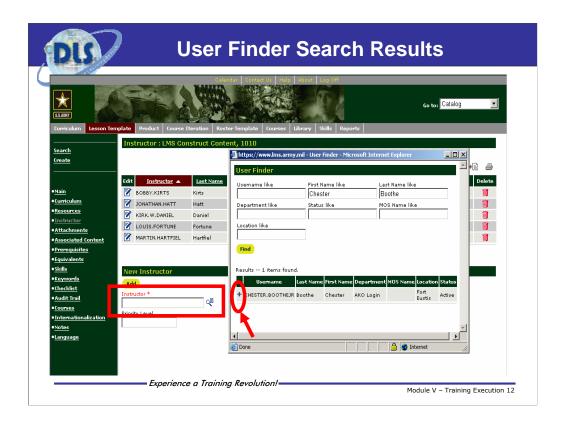
The **Instructor** screen will list those Instructors already assigned to this Lesson Template in the top half of the screen. Specific Instructors can be designated as qualified for a Lesson at the Lesson Template level. Course Managers can use the New Instructor "**Finder**" icon to locate the specific individuals to qualify. However, doing this is not recommended in most cases for two reasons:

- 1. Doctrinally the Course Manager represents the Proponent- not the Institution executing the training. In the case of the training being executed at a TASS Battalion, for example, it is unlikely the Course Manager would even know the names of future Instructors for this Lesson.
- 2. When you specify Instructors by name at the Lesson template, you are limiting the pool of Instructors who can train this Lesson to only those individuals you specified, until someone else, such as a local Class Manager, takes overt action to qualify someone else for this Lesson.

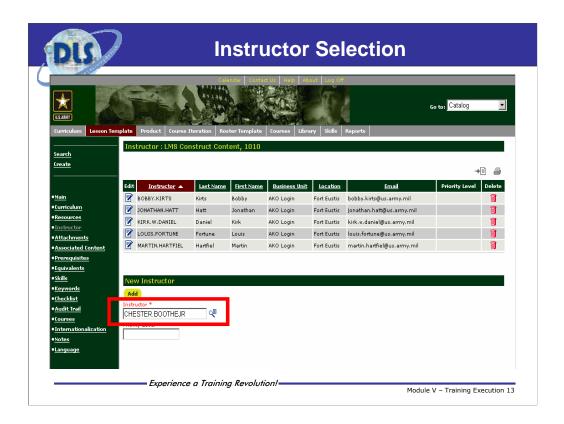
To qualify an Instructor at the **Lesson Template** level, click on the "**Finder**" icon. The ALMS will display the **User Finder** Pop-Up Window as shown in the next slide.



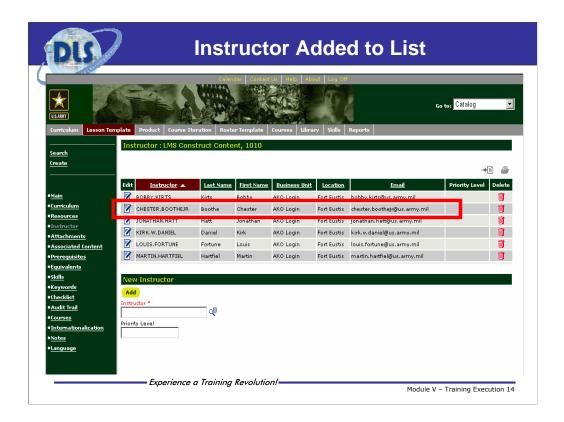
Enter data in the Username Like, First Name Like, Last Name Like, Department Like, Status Like, MOS Name Like, or Location Like search parameter fields and click on "Find". The ALMS will display the Search Results as shown in the next slide.



Click on the plus sign ("+") in the left column to select the Instructor. Clicking on the plus sign ("+") will populate the **Instructor** data entry field as shown in the next slide.

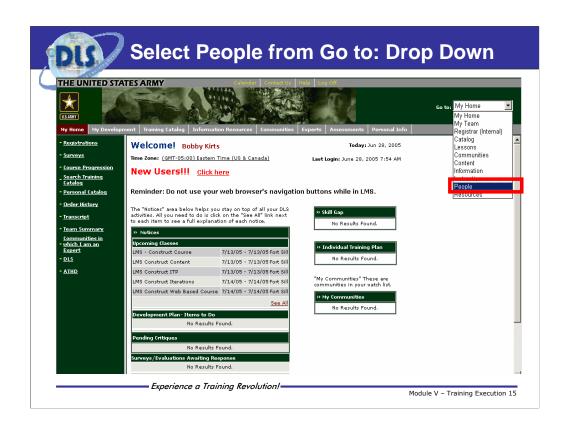


Click on the "Add" button to add the Instructor to the list of Instructors in the top half of the screen as shown in the next slide.



The selected Instructor is added to the list of Instructors qualified to teach this Lesson.

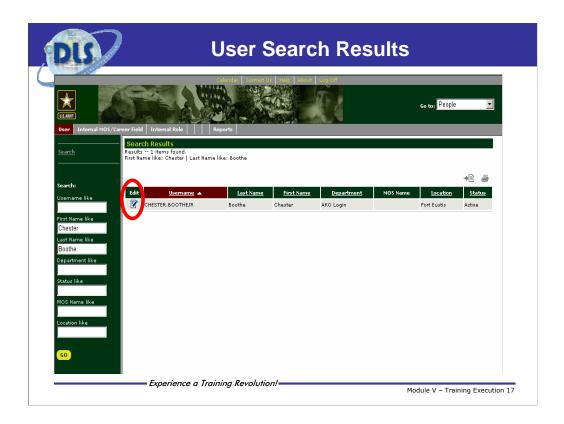
A better way to qualify an Instructor to teach a specific Lesson is from the **People** selection on the **Go to:** drop down menu as shown in the next slide.



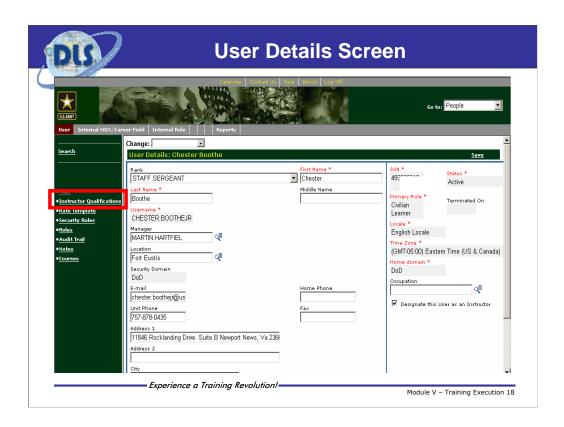
Highlight and click on **People** from the **Go to:** drop down menu. Clicking "**People**" will display the **User** screen as shown in the next slide.



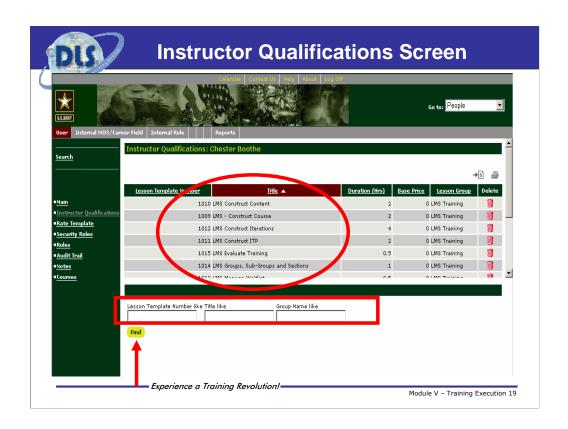
To search for an Instructor (User) enter data in the **Username Like, First Name Like, Last Name Like, Department Like, Status Like, MOS Name Like,** or **Location Like** search parameter fields and click on "GO". The ALMS will display the **Search Results** screen as shown in the next slide.



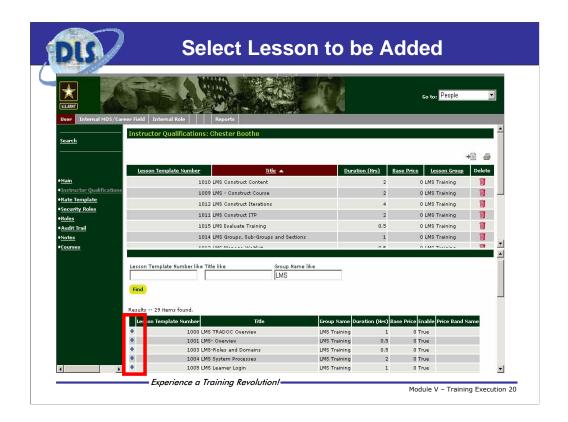
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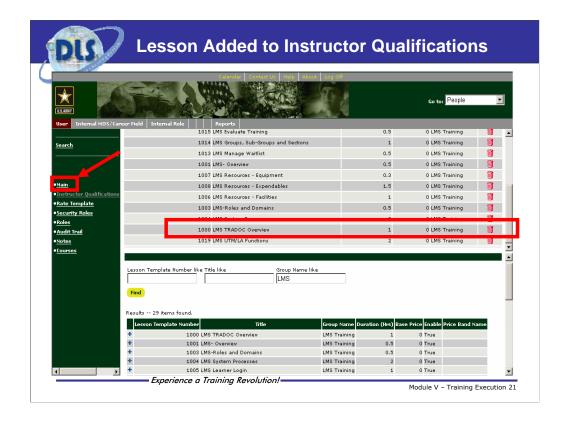
To qualify this individual to teach a specific Lesson, click on the **Instructor Qualifications** link on the Left Navigation Bar. Clicking on the **Instructor Qualification** link will display the **Instructor Qualifications** screen as shown in the next slide.



The **Instructor Qualifications** screen lists all the Lessons the individual is qualified to teach in the top half of the screen. To qualify the Instructor to teach another Lesson, enter data in the **Lesson Template Number, Title Like**, or **Group Name Like** search parameter fields and click on "**Find**". The ALMS will display the search results as shown in the next slide.

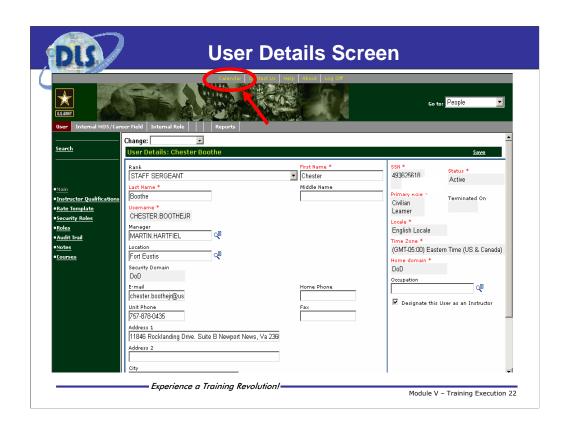


Select the **Lesson Template** to be added by clicking on the plus sign ("+") in the left column. Clicking on the plus sign ("+") will add the Lesson to the **Instructor Qualification** List in the top half of the screen as shown in the next slide.

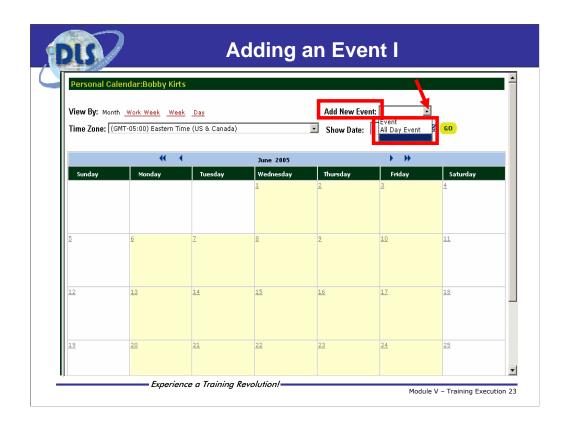


The Lesson is added to the **Instructor Qualification List** in the top half of the screen.

Now let's look at how the Instructor can mark himself unavailable for scheduling during a specified period by creating a **Non-Instructional Event** on his own Calendar as shown in the next slide.

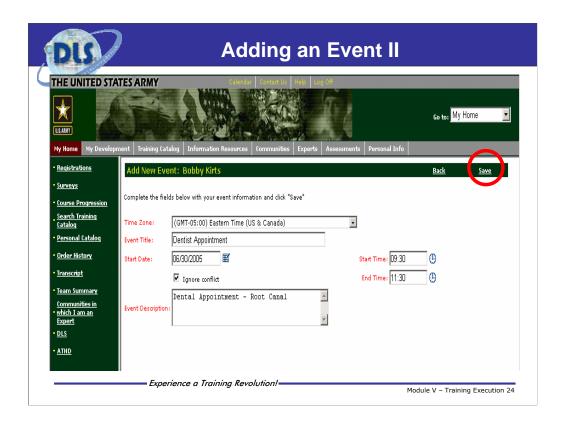


The Instructor clicks on "Calendar" on the Header Bar to display his/her Calendar as shown in the next slide.



The Instructor can mark himself unavailable for scheduling during a specified period by creating a **Non-Instructional Event** on his own Calendar. A **Non-Instructional Event** simply indicates unavailable time caused by the Instructor, rather than by a scheduling action performed by a Class Manager or Scheduler.

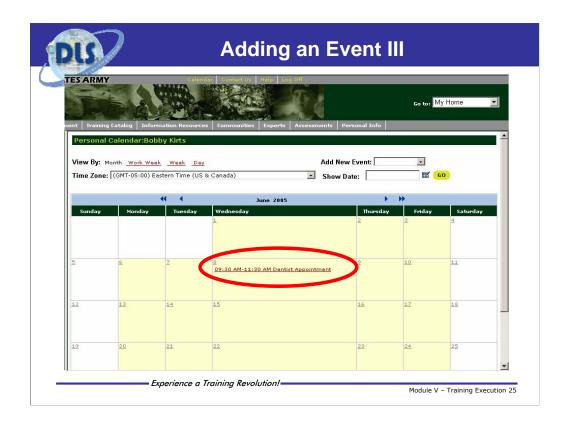
To schedule an Event, go to the **Add New Event** link and click on the "down arrow" to display the **Event** or **All Day Event** selection for you to choose from. Highlight and click on your choice and the ALMS will display the **Add New Event** screen as shown in the next slide.



All data entry fields on this screen are mandatory. You must specify the **Time Zone, Event Title, Start Date, Event Description,** and **Start and End Times**.

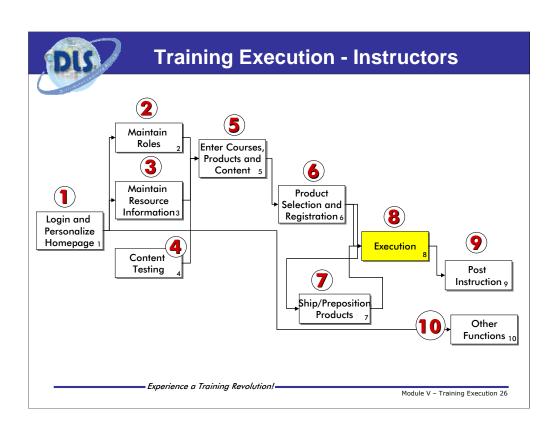
The "**Ignore Conflict**" checkbox will allow the Instructor to override any previously scheduled events, training or otherwise, during that time period. However, be warned that the ALMS will not seek out and notify the event scheduler of this over-ride. The Instructor must do this outside the system.

After completing all the mandatory fields, click on "Save" to add the event to your Calendar as shown in the next slide.



The Non-Instructional Event is added to the Instructor's personal Calendar.

This completes our short discussion of Instructors as Resources. We're now ready to get into the meat of Process 8 as shown in the next slide.





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- **⊃** Delivery The process of presenting content.
- Session An occurrence of a training event that links a Lesson with time/date and place.

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The ALMS uses the term "**Delivery**" in this context, but also to mean "transmit or send training material".

The selection of a Session locks in a Lesson to a specific date and time.

Let's run a vignette to look at how to view your teaching schedule, view rosters, establish office hours, record attendance, record grades, and mark lessons as delivered as shown in the next slide.



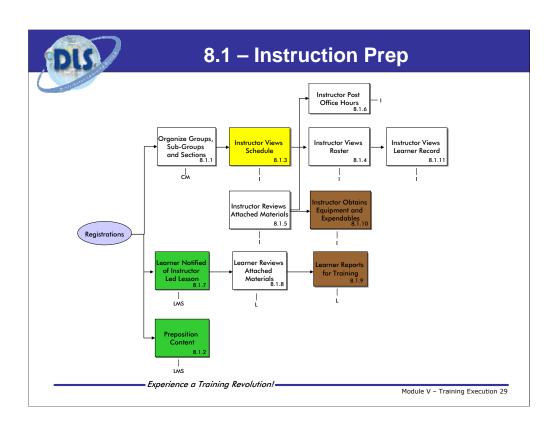
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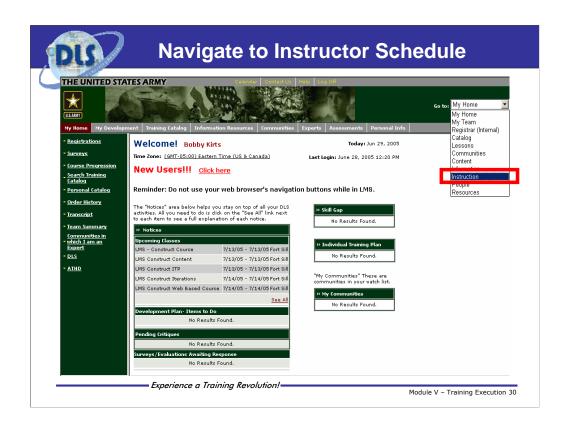
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○"Instructor Training and Delivery" Show Me

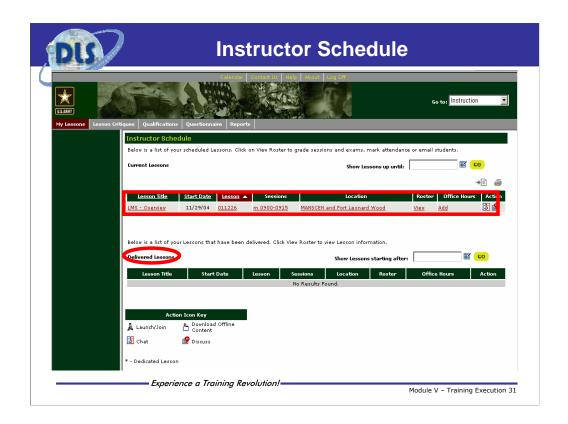
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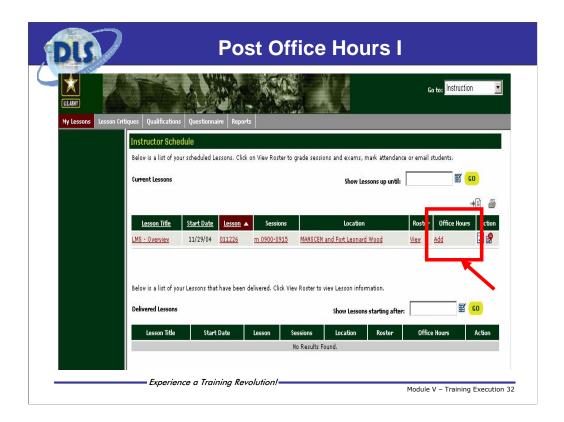




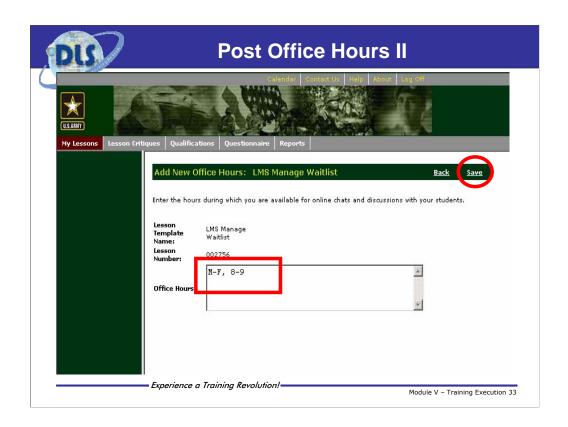
To navigate to the **Instructor Schedule** screen, highlight and click on "**Instructor**" from the **Go to:** drop down menu. The ALMS will display the **Instructor Schedule** screen as shown in the next slide. **Note:** You will not receive the "Instruction" Go to: drop down until you are assigned a Lesson to instruct.



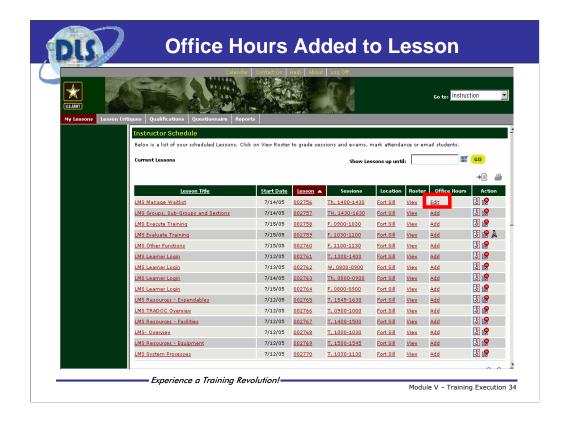
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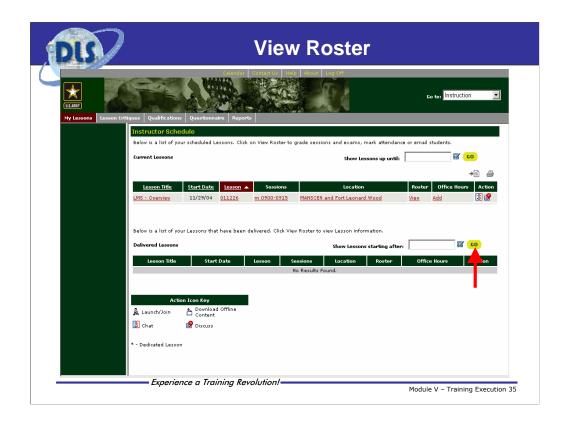


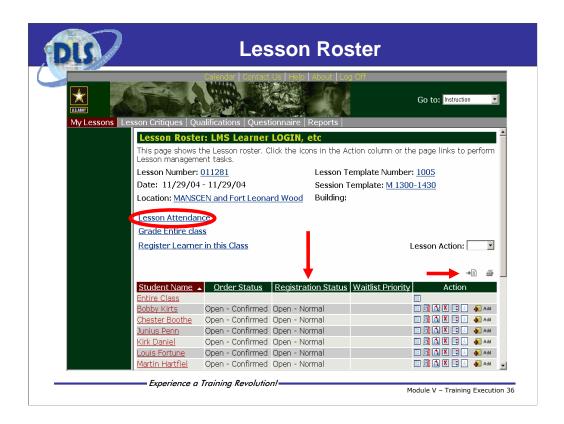
To post his Office Hours, the Instructor clicks on "Add" in the Office Hours column. This will display the Add New Office Hours screen as shown in the next slide.

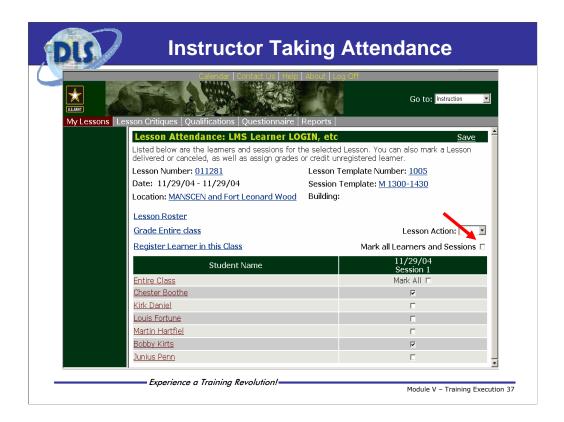


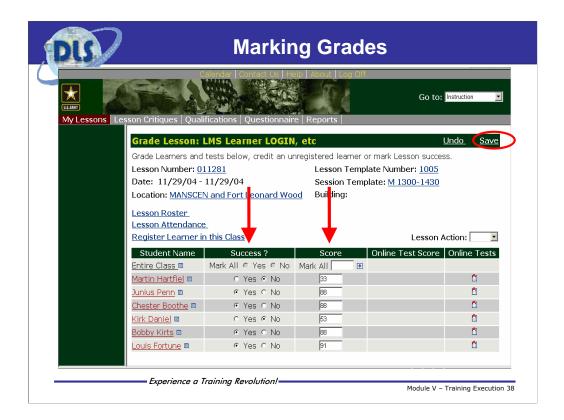
Instructors post office hours so Learners know when they are available for visits. Add the office hours in the Office Hours block. Recommend the convention of: M=Monday, T=Tuesday, W=Wednesday, Th=Thursday, F=Friday, S=Saturday and Su=Sunday. The day abbreviation is followed by a comma then the times 8-12, 1-4, etc, then click "Save." This information will be displayed in this Office Hours column when the Learner sees the Lesson on his Registrations Page (My Development Tab).

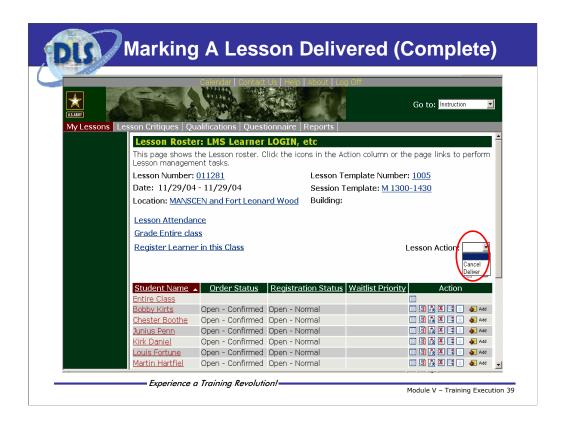














Instructor PE

⇒Instructor PE # 1

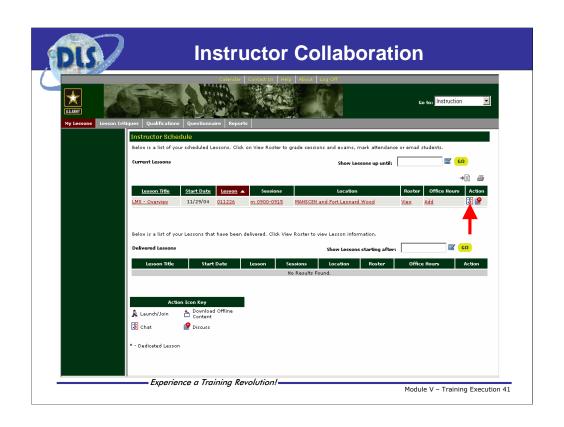
- Take Attendance
- Grade Learners
- Mark Lesson Delivered

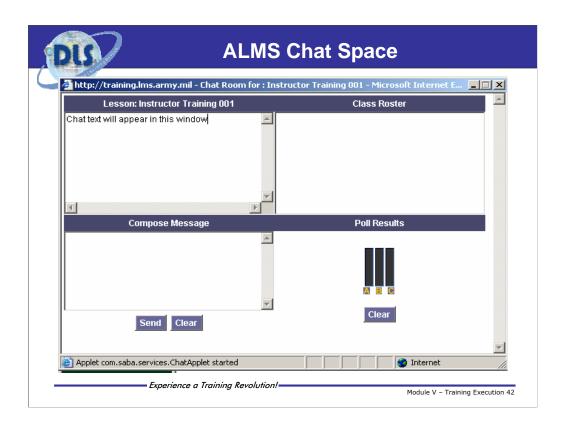
○ALMS Training Database is located at:

http://training.lms.army.mil

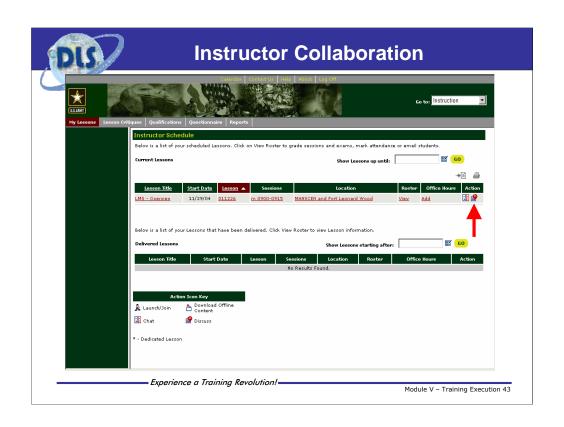
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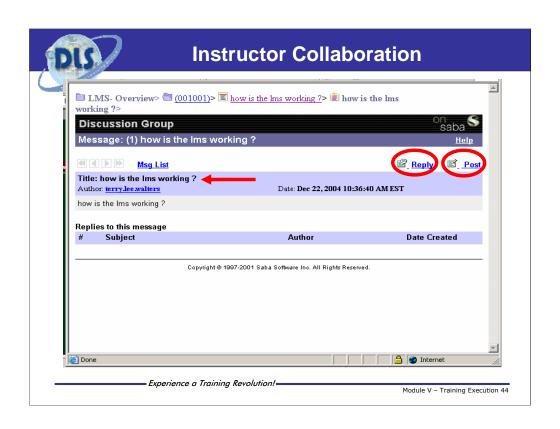
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This screen will show the participant who is in the Chat session and provide space for composing and sending messages.







Summary

What We've Learned...

- **⇒** View Schedule
- **⊃**Post Office Hours
- **⇒** View Roster
- **⇒**Take Attendance
- **⇒** Mark Grades
- **⇒** Deliver Lessons
- **ALMS** Collaboration Tools

Questions?

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Here's a RECAP of what we learned.

We learned how to:

View our schedule

Post Office Hours

Take Attendance

Mark Grades

Deliver Lessons

Collaboration Tools

Ask are there any questions pertaining to Training Execution?